Advertisements for these columns will be taken until 12 m. for the evening and until 8 p. m. for the morning and Sunday editions.

Advertisers, by requesting a num-bered check, can have answers ad-dressed to a numbered letter in care of The Bee. Answers so addressed will be delivered on presentation of

the check only.

Rates, I 1-2c a word first insertion;
le a word thereafter. Nothing taken
for less than 25c for the first insertion. These advertisements must be run consecutively.

WANTED_SITUATIONS. BY AMERICAN WIDOW, HOUSEKEEPER FOR widower, housekeeper or head chambermaid in hotel: good references. Mrs. Pulner, West Orange, N. J. A-Mizi Ale POSITION WANTED IN MUSIC STORE; CAN

WANTED_MALE RELP.

CANVASSERS TO TAKE ORDERS; NEW LINE of work; no Heavy goods to carry; salary or commission. C. F. Adams Co., 521 So. 16th St. B-659

play seven instruments; thorough musician good singer; best references. L 45, Bee. A-915 6*

BALESMAN FOR CIGARS, 1125 A MONTH AND expenses; old firm; experience unnecessary; in ducements to customers. C. C. Bishop & Co. St. Louis. B-050

AGENTS AND BRANCH MANAGERS; SALARY and commission. Hunter Tailoring & Shirt Co., Cincinnati, O. B-M498 A16° WORK FOR US AT YOUR HOME; DAY OR evening: \$6 to \$12 weekly; no canvassing or experience required; full particulars and work matled on application. Columbian Mfg. Co.

Box N. 6th St., Philadelphia, Pa. B-Mi28 7 SALESMEN TO SELL TOILET SOAP TO dealers; 1999 per month salary and expenses; experience unnecessary. Louis Ernst Co., St. Louis, Mo., B-M172

sign and pictorial, painters—expert, freehand workmen wanted to travel on builetin, wall, barn and fence sign advertising; to temperate, reliable mechanics, season engagement on contract work or salary and expenses paid; state expectations, with small sketch, sample of capability, to McKenna, Supt., Hotes Sign Displays, 7 Park Pl., New York. B—M833 5* A SALESMAN ACQUAINTED WITH THE crockery business. Address, with references, L 43, Bee. B-M913 7

WANTED, A GOOD BUSINESS MAN WHO IS looking for a good paying and legitimate business to invest a few hundred dollars at the Omaha T. M. Exposition, which will be made a permanent one all through the western states, For further particulars address J. G., Station F. Calcago, Ill. B—M231.7*

MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE; ONLY eight weeks required; positions guaranted; catalogue mailed free. Moler System Barber Schools, Chicago or Minneapolis. II—M926 11* WANTED, MEN OR WOMEN TO SEW CAR.

pets either by hand or on the machine. Boston Store.

B-973 8 ton Store.

WANTED, CARPET CUTTERS AND CARPET sewers Apply immediately at Boston Store B-972 8 CYLINDER AND GORDON PRESSPEEDERS wanted; steady employment; highest wages paid. Apply Chicago Typothetae, room 514, 167 Dearborn street, Chicago. B—M254 9*

WANTED, CYLINDER PRESSFEEDERS; steady employment and good wages. Regan Printing House, 85 Plymouth Place, Chicago, 13-Migo5 7* MAN WANTED: MUST BE EXPERIENCED cachman. Call at 203 McCague bldg, between 8 and 11 a. m. B-M959 7 WANTED, A GOOD VEST AND PANTS maker; steady work. John Wolfskell, David City, Neb. B-M958 9*

WANTED_FEMALE HELP.

100 GIRLS FOR ALL KINDS OF WORK; 23 TO \$7 week. Canadian Office, 1522 Douglas. C-661 WANTED, A NURSE GIRL; REFERENCES required, Apply 3620 Farnam St. C-M726

WANTED, TWENTY-FIVE LIVE, UP-TO-date lady agents to handle a high class tollet preparation. Article of merit; sells for 50c. Send stamp for particulars and terms. Big commission and exclusive territory to right parties. Address Radiant Mfg. Co., Box 154, Seymour, Indiana. C-M925 7*

WANTED, LADY STENOGRAPHER AND cashler, Miller Hotel, Missouri Valley, Iowa. C-M927 7 WANTED, A COMPETENT GIRL FOR GEN-C-M914 GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL HOUSE, work; four in the family; no children. Mrs. Bosz, 116 So. 31st Ave. C-951 6* WANTED, A COMPETENT GIRL, IN A FAM-ily of two. Apply at 1003 South 30th ave. C-947 7

FOR RENT_HOUSES.

CHOICE HOUSES AND COTTAGES ALL OVER city; \$5 to \$76. Fidelity, 1st floor N. Y. Life D-662 LARGE LIST. M'CAGUE, 15TH AND DOINGE D-664 HOUSES, FLATS. GARVIN BROS., 1611 FAR'S HOUSES. J. H. SHERWOOD, 423 N. Y. LIFE HOUSES IN ALL PARTS OF THE CITY. THE O. F. Davis Company, 1505 Farnam. D-667 HOUSES. BENEWA & CO., 108 N. 15TH ST. HOUSES, STORES. BEMIS, PAXTON BLOCK D-669 DETACHED MODERN 12-ROOM, ALSO 9-ROOM house; keys at 2548 Capitol Ave. Tel. 573. B H. Robson. MOVING HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND PIANOS Om.Van & Storage Co., 15114 Farnam. Tel. 1529 D-670

FOR RENT, ABOUT APRIL 15, TO GOOD TEN-ant, 8-room house; all conveniences; 22d street, near California; not for boarders or roomers; 35, 506 N. Y. Life building. D—M804 HOUSE NEAR FORTY-FIRST AVENUE AND Cass; seven rooms, bath, barn. Inquire 314 First Nat'l. Bank Building. D-M920 8 LARGE, FINE HOUSE, ENTIRELY MODERN, 11 rooms; barn; one of the finest in Walnut Hill; will lease to good tenant for one year at \$35 per month and put house in good repair. Omaha Loan and Trust Co., 16th and Douglas.

FOR RENT_FURNISHED ROOMS.

NICE ROOMS, HOUSEKEEPING. 1112 SOUTH 11th St. E-M765 DESIRABLE ROOM. M. F. ROYS, N. Y. L. Bdg. 'Phone 811. E-M211 A17* IN PRIVATE PAMILY. 1919 DODGE. E-M489 AS*

ROOMS, S. FRONT; MODERN. 2589 HARNEY Street. E-M750 7* NICELY PURNISHED ROOM FOR GENTLE, man in private family; references required., S. W. Cor. 17th and Capitol ave. E-M713 ? FOR RENT, LARGE FRONT ROOM WITH alcove, nicely furnished, closets, hot and cold water. 218 N, 19th st. E-M875

FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD. THE MERRIAM, FIRST CLASS FAMILY HO-tel. 25th and Dodge Sts. F-672 ROOMS, WITH BOARD. 2108 CHICAGO ST. F-407 A210

EXPOSITION, EXPOSITION, EXPOSITION.

The Saratoga Hotel; new house; new furniture; modern equipment; experiencel management, adjoins exposition; boarders solicted; rates reasonable; take Sherman Ave. cars to 24th and Ames Ave. John H. Pierce, proprietor; D. T. Tubbs, manager. WICE ROOMS WITH BOARD, 1824 BINNEY, F-M867 10*

DESIRABLE SINGLE ROOM, WITH BOARD references. 202 N. 18th. F-M945 5* FOR RENT_UNFURNISHED ROOMS

OR RENT, NICE SOUTH FRONT UNFUR-nished rooms, with bath; Withnell block. F. W. Carmichael, No. 6, Withnell block. G-290

FOR RENT_STORES AND OFFICES. OR RENT, THE 4-STORY BRICK BUILDING at \$16 Farnam St. This building has a fireproof coment basement, water on all floors, gas, etc. Apply at the office of The Bee. I—910

FOR TRACKAGE, TRANSFERRING AND desk room, apply to the Aultman & Taylor Machinery Co., N. E. cor, 8th & Jackson Sts. 1-925 STORE ON 18TH ST., NEAR P. O.; GREAT

FOR RENT_STORMS AND OFFICES.

FOR RENT, DESK ROOM IN GROUND FLOOR office, Bee building: water, steam heat, electric light, and janitor service. Apply to Superintendent, Bee building. For Rent-In The BEE BUILDING:
One large corner room, 2d floor, with vault and private office, water, etc.
One large front room, 2d floor, divided into two rooms by partition; water, etc.
One large corner room, 2d floor, with vault, water, etc.
One form room, with vault, 2d floor.
One corner room, with vault, 2d floor.
One corner room, 2d floor, with partition dividing it into one large room and two smaller private rooms; water, etc.
Two large ground floor rooms, fronting 17th St., with vault.
Several small rooms on 4th floor, with vaults, All these rooms are heated with steam, electric lights, supplied with first class janitor service; elevators run day and all night; building strictly fireproof. Apply to superintendent, room 104, Bee building.

AGENTS WANTED.

BEAUTIFUL LIFE OF FRANCES E. WILlard, written by Anna A. Gordon, who was
Miss Willard's private secretary for over 2
years; the only book authorized and endorsed
by the W. C. T. U.; over 1,000,000 copies will
be sold; the greatest seller of the century
write for outfit; best terms; circular free
don't miss this chance; act quick. Western
Pub. Co., N. Y. Life Bidg., Omaha, Neb.
J.—M708

WANTED, SALESMEN. AND CREW MAN-agers to take charge of ennyassers on the road; must have first-class references and fur-nish bond; expenses advanced; liberal indus-ments to good men. Kern Picture Co., 6 Wash-lagton st., Chicago, Ili. J—M744 7

WANTED_TO RENT.

WANTED-FIRST CLASS BOARD FOR HUS-band and wife; two bed rooms and sitting room required. Address L 2, Bee. K-M-803 WANTED, BY REMABLE PARTY, ONE TO four unfurnished rooms, or would go half or flat at \$35.00. It 56, Bee. K-950 5* WANTED, FURNISHED ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping by man and wife. Address L 48, Lee. K-M965 7* WANTED, TWO OR THREE FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping; terms must be reasonable. Address J. C., Bee, Council Bluffs. K-M966 9

STORAGE.

PACIFIC STORAGE AND WAREHOUSE CO. 908-910 Jones general storage and forwarding M-673 OM. VAN & STORAGE, 15114 FARN'M. TEL 155 M-674

FOR SALE_HORSES, WAGONS, ETC. A SAFE LITTLE HORSE, FOR A LADY'S USE L 47 Bec. N-949 8*

FOR SALE_ FURNITURE.

BEDROOM SUITS, FOLDING BEDS AND ALL kinds of household goods; to quit business; no reasonable offer refused. Neb. Furniture Co., 710-12 N. 16th St. O.—750—A-8

FOR SALE_HORSES, WAGONS, ETC. A VERY FINE IMPORTED PERCHERONNE stallion for sale or trade. Address P. O. box 247, Holdrege, Neb. P-M743 7* FOR SALE, A FINE FAMILY HORSE, PHA eton and Concord buckboard, Call 4212 Far nam street. P-M755 FOR SALE, A GOOD RIDING PONY, OR chard & Wilhelm Carpet Co. Inquire at stable 1116 Dodge, P-M960 9

FOR SALE_MISCELLANEOUS.

HOG AND FOULTRY FENCE; BETTER THAN wire netting. Fine sawdust for floors. Tel. 468. 901 Douglas. Q-675 HORSE CLIPPING MACHINES, KNIVES AND repairs, all standard makes on hand; grinding razors, shears, clippers; prompt service. A. L. Undeland. PURE PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS FOR SET-tings; 60c; roosters, \$1.00. 932 North 26th. Q-677-A-16*

SEED SWEET FOTATOES, \$1.50 PER BRI.
Theodore Williams, 57th and Military Ave.
Omaha, Neb. Q-M286-May-7* CHICKEN, HOG AND LAWN FRNCES; ALL wire; is best. Wire Works, 14th and Harney. FOR SALE—The ELEGANT BAR FIXTURES of Palmer house salcon. L. C. Brown, Grand Island, Nob. Q-M769-A-5° BLACKHEADS AND WARTS, HOW TO RE-move, 25c, Cytus Gray, P. O. box 94, Ben-nett, Pa. Q-M154-A-15* ALASKA. CUBA. NEBRASKA.
Three fine colored pocket maps giving the gold fields of the Klondike, Provinces of Cuna, with sniarged map; Havana, Province and bay, show-ing where battleship Maine was blown up, Railroad map of Nebraska, up to date. All for 20 cents in stamps by mail. Buckstaff Pros. Mfg. Co., Lincoln, Neb. Q—M599 8 WHAT AM I OFFERED CASH OR TRADE for \$100 equity in high grade plano; balance easy terms, 2205 Farnam St. Q-M855 9 NO. 7 REMINGTON TYPEWRITER: BEEN IN use only two months; good as new. Address 702 Georgia Ave. Q—M929 7* FOR SALE, MERRY-GO-ROUND, A MONEY maker. Address 112 K Ave., Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Q-M941 7*

ICE BOX. SUITABLE FOR MOTEL OR restaurant; also a lot of 4-light sash. James Whelan, 8th and Grace. Q-548 11* MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT, A BARN AT 1902 CASS ST. R-M909

MASSAGE, BATHS, ETC. MME. SMITH, 118 N. 15TH ST., STEAM AND alcohol baths. T-917 11*

MME. AMES. MASSAGE AND BATHS, 16234 Howard St. T-919 11* LAURA ELLISON, 119 N. 16TH (UPSTAIRS) room 12, Turke-Russian and plain baths, mas sage. T-M316-A-19* MRS. DR. LEON, ELECTRIC MASSAGE BATH parlors; restful and curative. 417 S. 11th, up-stairs. T-M596 10*

PERSONAL.

VIAVI FOR UTERINE TROUBLES, 245-8 BEE Bldg; physician consultation or health book free. U-689 CLOTHES CLEANED, PRESSED AND Repaired; day or night dress suits for hire. Pantorium, N. E. Cor. 14th and Farnam. Tel. 963
U-681 BATHS, MASSAGE. MME. POST, 3194 8, 15TH HORSES CLIPPED FOR ONE DOLLAR: ELEC tric clippers. Tel. 66. McCormack & Baumley 14th and Howard, U-337

ADIES, OWING TO INCREASING BUSINESS
I have removed my hairdressing parlors to
Kartach block, rooms 312-315; scientific treatment of the scalp; artistic minicuring; surplus hair and facial blomishes removed with
electricity, Tel. 1863. Mme, G. Payne,
U-M847 All* 11-1,000 BUSINESS CARDS NEATLY PRINTED R. G. Hearsey, 1505 Farnam St., 'Phone 2000 U-M885 9*

MONEY TO LOAN_REAL ESTATE. MONEY TO LOAN AT LOW RATES. THE O F. Davis Co., 1545 Farnam St. W-682 WANTED, CHOICE FARM AND CITY LOANS R. C. Peters & Co., U. S. Nat'l Bank Bldg. W-684

MONEY LOANED ON IMPROVED REAL ES-tate in Omaha, Council Bluffs & South Omaha, W. H. Thomas, 503 First Nat'l, Bank, Omaha, W-663 PER CENT CITY AND FARM LOANS Garvin Bros. 1613 Farnam St. W-683 \$100,000.00 SPECIAL FUND TO LOAN ON first class improved Omaha property, or for building purposes Fidelity Trust company. ANTHONY LOAN & TRUST CO., 315 N. Y. L.; quick money at low rates for choice farm lands in Iowa, Northern Missouri, Eastern Nebraska, W-687

LOAN ON IMPROVED & UNIMPROVED CITY property. W. Farnam Smith & Co., 1320 Farnam W-633 MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED OMAHA real estate. Brennan-Love Co., \$19 S. 16th. W-889 54 PER CENT MONEY. BEMIS, PAXTON BLK W-000 PRIVATE MONEY. WEAD, 16TH & DOUGLAS W-830-A-9

LOST-LIGHT BAY HORSE, SMALL WHITE spot in forebead, weight about 1,100. Reward for return to Mike Vincle, Council Bluffs, 1s. Lost-752-7* LOST, A LARGE MOUSE-COLORED DOG, 23 inches high; weight 150 lbs.; suitable reward for return to 2818 Sherman ave. Lost - M93 7*

MONEY TO LOAN_CHATTELS.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND PIANOS,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND PIANOS,
HORSES, WAGONS AND CARRIAGES,
WAREHOUSE RECEIPTS, ETC.,
of lowest rates in
Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs.
No removal of goods; strictly confidential; you
can pay the loan off at any time or in any
amounts. omaha Mortgage Loan Co.. 200 South 18th St.
THE OLDEST, LARGEST AND ONLY INCOR PORATED LOAN COMPANY IN OMAHA.
X-691

MONEY LOANED S'LARIED PEOPLE HOLD-ing permanent positions, with responsible con-cerns upon their own names, without security; easy payments. Tolman, R. 706, N. Y. L. blds. 198-A-16* BUSINESS CHANCES.

TO GET IN OR OUT OF BUSINESS GO TO .
J. Gibson, 514 First Nat'l Bank. Y-692 LIVE STOCK COMMISSION FIRM, SOUTH Omaha, wants man with large capital for part-ner; business thoroughly established; refer-ences first class. Box 45, Omaha. Y-693 BETTER THAN KLONDIKE; PERSONS WITH small or large capital wishing to make investments that promise large returns should address or call on L. W. Tulleys, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

\$1.00, 500 CARDS, ENVELOPES, NOTEHEADS or circulars heatly printed. R. G. Hearrey, 1505 Farmnam, 'Phone 2069. Y-M884 9* WANTED, PARTNER (SILENT OR ACTIVE mechanic preferred), with two hundred dollars business established and will bear investigation. Address L 60, Bec. Y-M910 ?* FOR SALE, RESTURANT; GOOD LOCATION on 16th street; \$350 cash; sickness the reason for selling. Apply at store, 1515\(\frac{15}{2}\) Farnam. Y-M94 7°

DO YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR BUSINESS quick or want partner? We have cash buyers. Call and see us. Walsh & Co., 119 N. 15th street. per cent weekly profits; rare chance; no stock or Klondike scheme; safe enterprise; control capital yourself. D. Sloane, 110 St. Paul street, Haltimore, Md.

FOR EXCHANGE.

160 ACRES IN WAYNE CO., NEB.; WELL improved; large grove; for stock of goods or clear Omaha property. Address W. & H., 629 S. 13th St. ZSS 10 VARIOUS PIECES OF PROPERTY AND farms in Nebraska to trade for merchandise. Address L 42, Bee. Z-M899

FOR SALE_REAL ESTATE.

KOUNTZE PLACE BARGAINS, \$2,500, \$3,750 TC \$6,500. J. J. Gibson, 514 First Nat'l. Bank Bidg RE-694 FOLLOWING DESIRABLE PROPERTY: BUSI-ness lot corner, 60x150 ft., in So. Omrhu, paved. Business lot, 60x150 feet, improved, Sot a Omaha, street paved. Tract (24 lots), 36th St. Tract (20 lots), 30th St. For particulars apply 1012 Farnam St. RE-695

NEW, MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, LARGE lot, \$500 cash, balance to suit. Address G 25 Bec. RE-M193 MAKE ME AN OFFER ON TWO LOTS IN Walnut Hill addition. Oscar Groshell, Sair Lake, Utah. RE—M768-A9* HOUSES, LOTS, FARMS, LANDS, LOANS also fire insurance. Bemis, Paxton block. RE-607

PINE RESIDENCE, 32ND STREET, NEAR Hanscom Park; owner has good reasons to sed at once. F. D. Wead, 16th and Douglas. Ris-643 21

SNAPS, STOP PAYING RENT:
Several well-made four-roomed bouses in good repair; each with large lot, barn, well, cistern, etc; terms, \$250 down; balance to be paid in monthly payments.

RE-M712 A6 ARE YOU LOOKING FOR NICE HOME Look at this house and barn-detached, shad trees, corner 28th and Burdette; very little money needed. Call Brorand, 1510 Harney RE-423-A-22 FOR SALE, HANDSOME TEN-ROOM RESI-dence; most desirably located. Address L 41. Bee. RE-M907 11*

SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING. A. C. VAN SANT'S SCHOOL OF SHORTHAN:
and Typewriting, 717 N. Y. Life, offers the following advantages: Individual instructions by
experienced teachers and skillful stenographers
up-to-date methods: touch system of typewriting if preferred; participation in actual work
for which students receive pay; monthly payments.

AT OMAHA BUS. COLLEGE, 16TH & DOUGLAS SHORT-HAND, UP-TO-DATE, TAUGHT Bi court reporters. Boyles' School, 403-5-7 Bee bld; -709

EDUCATIONAL

FOR PARIS EXPOSITION OF 1900, FRENCH language and literature, system, Berlitz simplified: private or class lessons, by Monsier de Tuilly; trial gratis; to speak after 3 lessons; exchange of French and English. Address L

MEDICAL.

LADIES! CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYroyal Pills (Diamond brand) are the best. Safe,
reliable. Take no other. Send 4c stamps for
particulars. "Relief for Ladies." in letter by
return mail. At druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Mention Bec.,
—M255 7°

EXPOSITION FRONTAGES FOR RENT. PROUND LEASES FRONTING EXPOSITION.

Bemis, Paxton Bik. —703

STENOGRAPHERS. WE SOLICIT AND FURNISH POSITIONS FOR stenographers free. The Smith-Premier Type writer Co. Telephone, 1234.

WANTED, 5,000 OLD HATS TO BE MADE over like new by expert hatters, direct from Knox and Stetson. Flicker Bros., 118 S. 15th.

-M022 12*

FURNITURE PACKED. M. S. WALKIN, 2111 CUMING. TEL. 1351.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.

TTY EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 1417 FARNAM street. Roome 2 and 3. Tel. 1404. -706

PAWNBROKERS. H. MAROWITZ LOANS MONEY, 418 N. 1878 -761

SIDEWALKS.

PERMANENT SIDEWALKS AND FANCY driveways. G. Rushart, 214 N. 16th; 'phone 1195 -M849 M4*

TYPEWRITERS.

TYPEWRITERS FOR RENT \$4.00 PER MONTH The Smith-Premier Typewriter Co., 1625 Far-nam St.; Telephone 1284. —707 FINANCIAL.

LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES BOUGHT FOR cash. Richard Herzfeld, 171 LaSails St., Chicago. —M210 A17 DRESSMAKING.

DRESSMAKING, FAMILIES. 2504 DAV'P'T -M962 M6*

HOTELS FOR REST. BUILDING, SUITABLE FOR HOTEL, rooms and large store room; central location Bemis, Paxton Bik. —702

The Bee Leads all competitors In live Sporting News. For all The Sports of the Day Read The Bee.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR PRESH BEEF AND MUTTON.—Headquarters Department of the Missouri, Office Chief Commissary of Bubsistence, Omaha, Neb., April 5, 1898. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, accompanied by written guarastee bonds, in duplicate, will be received at this office, until 11 o'clock a. m., central standard time, May 5, 1898, at which time and place they will be opened in presence of bidders, for furnishing such quantities of fresh beef and mutton for issuer is may be required by the Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, at Omaha, Nebraska, Fort Crook, Neb.; Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; Forts Leavenworth, Kans.; Logan H. Roots, Ark.; Niobrara, Neb.; Reno, O. T.; Riley, Kans.; Robinson, Neb., and Sill, O. T., during the period commencing July 1, 1898, and ending December 31, 1898, Proposals will also be received until 10 o'clock a. m., mountain standard time, at the post of Fort Robinson, and until 11 o'clock a. m., central standard time, at Jefferson Barracks, Forts Leavenworth, Logan H. Roots, Niobrara, Reno, Riley and Sill and opened at the posts by the respective post Commissaries of such posts, each commissary receiving proposals for his own post only. Proposals will also be received stating the price at which the bidder will deliver fresh beef or mutton of the character stated in the specifications and to be delivered of temperature not greater than 50 degrees Fahrenheit. Full information furnished on application here or to commissary at any post authorized to open proposals. Government reserves right to reject any or all proposals or any part of any proposal. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Fresh Beef and Mutton," and addressed to undersigned or Commissary at post authorized to receive proposals. FRANK E. NYE. Major and C. S. A5-6-7-8-May3-4

PROPOSALS FOR INDIAN SUPPLIES AND TRANSPORTATION.—Department of the Interior, Office of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., March 29, 1898, Sealed proposals will be received by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, at 1602 State street, Colcago, Ill., until 1 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, April 27, 1898, for furnishing for the Indian Service beef, flour, bacon and other articles of subsistence; agricultural implements, wagons, harness, hardware, medical and other supplies; also bids for the transportation of such of the articles, goods and supplies as may not be contracted for to be delivered at the agencies. Sealed proposals will also be received at Nos. 77-79 Wooster street, New York City, until 1 o'clock p. m., of Tuesday, May 11, 1898, for furnishing for the Indian Service coffee, sugar, tea, rice, baking powder, soap, groceries, blankets, woolen and cotton goods, clothing, notions, hats and caps, boots and shoes, crockery and school books. Bids must be made on Government blanks. Schedules giving all necessary information for bidders will be furnished on application at the Indian Office, Washington, D. C.; Nos. 77-79 Wooster street, New York City; No. 1602 State street, Chicago, Ill.: the Commissaries of Subsistence, U. S. A., at Cheyenne, Leavenworth, Omaha, St. Louis, St. Paul and San Francisco; the postmasters at Sioux City, Yankton, Arkansas City, Caldwell, Topeka, Wichita and Tucson, Bids will be opened at the nour and days above stated, and bidders are invited to be present at the opening. W. A. JONES, Commissioner.

POSTOFFICE NOTICE.

Lincoln, Hastings and McCook
Lincoln, Denver, Colorado, Utah, California, Black Hills, Montana an I Puget Sound
Lincoln Local
Lincoln Fast Mail
Denver, Colorado, Utah, California and Puget
Sound (Should be read DAILY by all interested, as changes may occur at any time.)
Foreign mails for the week ending April 9,
1898, will close (promptly in all cases) at the general postoffice as follows: PARCELS
POST MAILS close one hour earlier than closing time shown below. Burlington
Route

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & Quincy Railroad—"The Burlington Route"—Ticket Office.
Let Farnam Street. Telephone W. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 128.

Chicago Vestibuled Ex. 5:05 pm 8:10 am Chicago Express ... 9:48 am 4:15 pm Chicago & St. Louis Ex 7:45 pm 8:10 am Pacific Junction Local. "11:50 am 5:40 pm Fast Mail

Trans-Atlantic Mails.

THURSDAY—At 6 s. m. for EUROPE, per s. s. Auguste Victoria*, via Cherbourg, Southampton and Hamburg.
SATURDAY—At 5 a. m. for EUROPE, per s. s. Lucania*, via Queenstown (letters for France, Switzerland, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Egypt and British India must be directed "per Lucania"); at 7 a. m. for FRANCE, SWITZERLAND, ITALY, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, TURKEY, EGYPT and BRITISH INDIA, per s. s. La Bretagne*, via Havre (letters for other parts of Europe must be directed "per La Bretagne*); at 8 a. m. for NETHER-LANDs direct, per s. s. Rotterdam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Rotterdam"); at 10 a. m. for SCOTLAND direct, per s. s. Furnessia, via Glasgow (letters must be directed "per Furnessia").
*PRINTED MATTER, ETC.—German, steamers

PRINTED MATTER, ETC.—German steamers salling on Tuerdays take printed matter, etc., for Germany and specially addressed printed matter, etc., for other parts of Europe. American and White Star steamers on Wednes-lays, German steamers on Thursdays and Cuntral, French and German steamers on Saturdays take printed matter, etc., for all countries for which they are advertised to carry mail.

After the closing of the supplementary trans-atlantic mails named above, additional surple-mentary mails are opened on the piers of the American, English, French and German steam-ers and remain open until within ten minutes

Mails for South and Central America, West Indies, Etc.

THURSDAY—At 1 p. m. (supplementary 1:30 p.m.) for BERMUDA. per s. s. Orinoco; at 1 p. m. (supplementary 1:30 p. m.) for SASAU, N. P., and SANTIAGO DE CUBA, per s. s. Niagara; at 1 p. m. (supplementary 1:30 p. m.) for ST. DO-MINGO and TURKS ISLAND, per s. s. Cherokee; at 2 p. m. for PORTO RICO direct, per s. s. Braiten.
FRIDAY—At 1 p. m. for BARBADOS direct and NORTH BRAZIL, via Para and Manaos, per s. s. Hidebrand.
SATURDAY—At 9:30 a. m. (supplementary 30 a. m.) for ST. THOMAS, ST. CROIX, LEEWARD and WINDWARD ISLANDS, also DEMERARA, per s. s. Fontabelle; at 10 a. m. (supplementary 1:30 a. m.) for FORTUNE ISLAND, JAMAICA, SAVANILLA and GREYTOWN, per s. s. Adirondack (letters for Costa Rica must be directed "per Adirondack"); at 10:30 a. m. for CAMPECHE, CHIAPAS, TABASCO and YUCATAN, per s. s. City of Washington (letters for other parts of Mexico and for Cuba must be directed "per City of Washington"); at *7 p. m. for NA3-SAU, N. P., per s. s. Miami, from Miami, Fia.; at 8:30 p. m. for NEWFOUNDLAND, per steamer from North Sydney, SUNDAY—At 6 a. m. for PROGRESO, per s. s. Mexico (letters for other parts of Mexico must be directed "per Mexico").

Mails for Newfoundiland, by rall to Halifax and these by steamer, close at this office daily at these parts of the supplement close at this office daily at these parts of the supplement close at this office daily at these by steamer, close at this office daily at these parts of the supplement close at this office daily at the supplement close

WABASH RAILROAD-TICKET
office, 11L Farnam Street, Telephone 322, Depot, Tenth and
Mason Hireets. Telepone 123.

Mails for Newfoundland, by rail to Halifax and thence by steamer, close at this office daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for Miquelon, by rail to Doston and thence by steamer, close at this office daily at 7:30 p. m. Mails for Cuba close at this office daily at 7:30 n. m. for forwarding by steamers sailing (Mondays and Thursdays) from Port Tampa, Fia. Mails for Mexico City, overland, unless specially addressed i for dispatch by steamer, close at this office daily at 2:30 a, m. and 2:30 p. m. *Registered mail closes at 6:50 p. m. previous day.

Trans-Pacific Mails.

Trans-Pacific Malis.

Malls for China, Japan and Hawali, per s. s. Peru (from San Francisco), close here daily up to April 8th at 6:20 p. m. Malis for China and Japan, per s. s. Olympia (from Tacoma), close here daily up to April *tloth at 6:20 p. m. Malis for China and Japan (specially addressed only), per s. s. Empress of Japan (from Vancouver) close here daily up to April *tloth at 6:30 p. m. Malis for Australia (except those for West Australia). which are forwarded via Europe. New Zealand. Hawali, Fiji and Samoan Islands, per s. s. Alameda (from San Francisco), close here daily up to April *15th at 7:00 a. m., Il a. m. and 6:30 p. m. (or on arrival at New York of s. s. Carroania with British malis for Australia). Mai's for the Society Islands, per ship City of Papetti (from San Francisco), close here daily up to April 24th at 6:20 p. m. Malis for Hawali, per s. s. Zealandia (from San Francisco), close here daily up to April 23th at 6:30 p. m. Malis for Australia (except West Australia). Now Zealand Hawali and Fili Islands, per s. s. Wargimoo (from Vancouver), close here daily after April *15th and up to April 28th at 6:20 p. m. Trans-Pacific malis are forwarded to port of salling daily and the schedule of closing is arranged on the presumption of their uninterrupted overland transit. *Hegistered mail close: at 6 p. m. previous day.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Postmaster Postoffice, New York, N. Y., April 1, 1898.

RAILROADS.

UNION PACIFIC—"THE OVER-land Route"—General Offices, N. E. Corner Ninth and Farnam Streets. City Ticket Office, 1302 Farnam Street. Telephone 216, Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 128. 4:45 pm
 One night, when he was a mere boy officer
 he had been summoned to a hanquet at Metz.
 Trow am The English duke was to be there, the brother of the king, and was to bring great tidings that had come from America. The news that filled the banquet hall of the fortress that night was: "Washington is in full retreat across the Jerseys, and the cause

of the Americans is lost." This announce-ment filled the hall with mirth. "Washington"—the name was new to him —he only knew that that name stood for the cause of American liberty. He could not he only knew that that the could not a m; 1:15 cause of American liberty. He could not have dreamed that that name would one day be coupled with his own.

His heart was in that cause. The mirth

was a mockery to him at this hour. He went out with a high resolution in his soul, and there, under the moon and stars, he resolved to consecrate his sword, and all that he had,

CHICAGO & NORTHWEST-ern Railway-Chy Ticket Of-fice, 140 Farnam Street. Tele-phone 561. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 18. to the cause of American liberty. A kind of vision seemed to come to him. "When I first saw the face of America, I loved her," he afterward wrote to the Amer-• 7:00 am *11:55 pt loved her," he afterward wrote to the American congress. It came to him that night at the banquet at Metz.

He had a fortune; he would use part of it to take him to America. He had fame at the French court; he would less his brilliant reputation there if he should go to America; but he would go. He had a young and beautiful wife, whom he loved, and whom it would be hard to leave behind. But wealth, popularity and love should all be laid on the altar of American liberty. A voice in his soul commanded him to go. Minneapolis

Missouri Valley, Sioux
City
Dennison, Carroll, Wall
Lake, from Broadway,
Council Bluffs
Eastern Express, Des
Moines, Marshailtown,
Cedar Rapids, Chicago,
Atlantic Flyer, Chicago
and East
Fast Mall, Chicago to
Omaha
Missouri Valley, Sioux
City, St. Paul, Minsapolis Limited ... 4:35 pm
Omaha-Chicago Special ... 6:45 pm
Daily Daily except Sunday

RATEROADS.

RIHWE

NORTHWESTERN

Burlington

Route

Burlington

Route

GREAT

OCHASLAND

ROUTE

Chicago and St. Paul Vestibuled Express ... Lincoln, Colorado Sp'sa, Puucbio, Denver and

Chicago, Des Moines 2
Rock Island 7.50 pm
Atlantic Express, for
Des Moines and eastern points 7.20 am
Colorado Flyer 7.30 pm
Daily Daily except Sunday.

uis "Cannon Ball"

MISSOURL PACIFIC

RAILWAY

Kansas and Nebraska Limited Kansas City and St. Louis Express

St. Louis Cannon Ball

Kansas City & Quincy

which is true lives eternal.

Leave.

· 4:30 pm

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD

—General Offices and Ticket
Office. Merchants National Hank
Building. 1224 Farnam Street.
Telephone 104. Depot, Fitteenth
and Webater Streets. Telephone
1458. Leave. Arrive.

• 3:05 pm

Leave.

PORT
ARTHUR
ROUTE

OMAHA & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD

-Omaha. Kinsas City & Eastern Railroad—"The Port Arthur
Route"—Ticket Office, 1815 Farnam
Street. Telephone, 222. Depot,
Tenth and Mason Streets. Tele-

A MOMENT OF HONOR.

When Lafayette Was Put to the Test and Proved True.

It is character that is success, not the

gaining of power, wealth or social popularity.

Wealth vanishes, fame perishes, but that

This truth is brought into clear light in

several episoies of the life of Lafayette,

writes Hezekiah Butterworth in Success. Lincoln declared that his faith was that "right is might." Lafayette held to the same view, and it was his pride to have his

name associated with the regiment of French

mountain heroes of Auvergne sans tache-(Auvergne without a stain).

That was a thrilling episode in the young general's life. He was only 20 years of age, when the cabal, or board of war, under the influence of General Gates, offered him the command of the army of the north to be sent for the conquest of Canada. It was hoped, by those wishing to elevate Gates to the surrence of the way to the sent for the conquest of the sent for the conquest of the sent for the conquest of the sent for the sent f

the supreme command of the army, to make the young general disloyal to Washington.

The young French general had sacrificed money and fame for the American cause. How would be meet flattery? He was to be

invited to a banquet and his pricelples tried. He had been to banquets before where his loyalty to liberty had been tested. Young as he was, on such occasions he had put

character above the allurements of wealth

*11:30 am

*12:55 pm

*11:30 am

• 9:05 pm

Sioux City, Mankato, St. Paul, Minnapolis • 5:55 pm • 8:20 am

4:35 pm 7:07 pm 2:55 pm

KANSAS CITY, ST. JOSEPH & Council Bluffs Railroad— "The Burlington Route"— Ticket Office, 1992 Farnam Street. Telephone 250 Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets Telephone 129.

Daily. Daily except Sunday.

•11:55 pm

Daylight Chicago Spe-cial Masouri Valley, Stoux City, St. Paul and Minneapolis

altar of American liberty. A voice in his soul commanded him to go.

One summer evening, in company with Baron de Kaib, the veteran soldier, the water drinker in the midst of intemperate associates, he was landed on the shores of the Carolinas. Baron de Kaib and he knelt down on the sands that night, and in the silent presence of God consecrated their swords to the cause of American liberty. Hundreds of miles lay between them and the camp of Washington, and over these they would begin on the morrow their ride for the cause of liberty for America and the world.

Washington served his country without pay, and laid down the sword when the cause had been won. Lafayette not only served the cause without compensation, but brought to it contributions from his own phone 1138.

Sloux City Accommoda. ** 8:50 am ** 8:20 pm Sloux City Accommoda. ** 9:50 am ** 8:20 pm Sloux City Accommoda. ** 9:50 am ** 8:20 pm Blair. Emerson. Sloux City. Ponca. Harting-ton and Bloomfield... ** 1:00 pm ** 11:55 am Sloux City. Mankato, St. Faul, Minneapolis .** 5:55 pm ** 8:27 am Sloux City. Mankato, St. Faul, Minneapolis .** 5:55 pm ** 8:27 am Sinux City. Mankato, St. Faul, Minneapolis .** 5:50 pm ** 8:27 am Sinux City. ** Daily except Sunday. ** Sunday only. ** Daily except Sunday. ** Sunday only. ** This train stops at stations Florence to South Blair, inclusive, Sundays only; on week days. South Blair only.

brought to it contributions from his own

What was this banquet at York, to which What was this banquet at York, to which he was to be invited, and where his character was to be put to a final test? It was a product of that dark and awful period of the revolution (1777-1778), the days of Valley Forge, when the tattered army made the snows ced with the track of blood.

Washington had become unpopular. Gates, the hero of Saratoga, was the rising star. Congress had created a Board of War, which aimed to overvule the supreme command of Washington and to give Gates as its presi-

FREMONT, ELKHORN AND Missouri Valley Railway—Gen. crai Offices, United States National Bank Building, Southwest Corner Twelfth and Farmam Street, Telephone 561, Depot, Fifteenth and Webster Streets, Telephone 1458, Leave. Washington and to give Gates as its president the place of influence. Gates was ambitious for himself; he was discatisfied with the conduct of the war, and was making the people dissatisfied. Washington was secretly criticised in congress, and his wisdom was questioned by these who looked for immediate results. His army was in rags, amid hunger and snows, and in the shadow of defeat. But the heart of Washington—that was true, Hear his words in those dark days:

"My enemies take an ungenerous advantage of me. They know that I cannot com-NORTHWESTERN SIOUX CITY & PACIFIC RAILroad—Jeneral Offices, United States National Bank Building, S. W. Corner Twelfth and Farnam Streets. Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone 451
1401 Farnam Street. Telephone 452
Sioux City, Mankato. Leave. Arrive.

tage of me. They know that I cannot com-bat their insinuations, however injurious, without disclosing secrets which it is of the utmost moment to conceal. But why should I expect to be exempt from censure, the unfailing lot of elevated station? My heart tells me that it has ever been my unremitted sim to do the best that circumstances would per-

to do the best that circumstances would permit." (In 1778.)

Again: "I prize as I ought the good opinion of my fellow citizens; yet, if I know myself, I would not seek popularity at the expense of any social duty or moral virtue." (1788.)

These words werts a lettering of gold

EURLINGTON & MISSOURI
River Railroad—"The Burlington Route"—General Offices, N.
W. Corner Tenth and Farmam
Streets. Ticket Office. 1602
Farmam Street. Telephone 230,
Depot, Tenth and Mason
Streets. Telephone 128.
Leave. Arrive. These words merit a lettering of gold. Washington had come to love Lafayette. The young Frenchman was like a son to him. The latter was now about 21 years of age. Would this susceptible son of France be true to him at this dark hour, or would he favor the Board of War?

The plan of the Board of War was to se-semble at York, summon Lafayette to the bacquet, and there offer him the command of the army of the north, in a dramatic way, that would signify that great honors should be assigned to him in return for his loyalty to them rather than to Washington.
Washington, though commander-in-chief
of the American army, had not been consuited except indirectly, in regard to the plan of this great northern campaign. The invitation was sent to Lafayette. The Board of War assembled, with Gates as presi-dent, and as head of the illustrious company.

Lights filled the hall and the tables sparkled with wine. The American flag was there, and the lilies of France. The dark purpose of the banquet was known to all. The American officers were not intemperate men. Baron de Kalb, who served the American cause, was a total abstainer. But in those days the wine cup, if not the wine, went with the toasts as an emblem of loyalty. They began to lift their glasses in honor of the heroes. The toastmaster named the name of Gates, the hero of Saratoga. The banquet hall rame with applause. Then fie named the name of each hero of the war, one by one. The glasses gleamed, and the hall rame with cheers. At length the list of heroes was completed. The name of Washington had not been spoken of; it had been left out.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST.
Paul Railway — City Ticket
Office, 15% Farmam Street.
Telephone 24. Depot, Tenth
and Mason Streets. Telephone 128.
Chicago Limited Ex.... 5:45 pm • 8:05 am
Omaha and Chicago Ex •11:00 am • 1:50 pm been left out. The tall, slender form of the young mar-CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & Pacific Railroad—"The Great Rock Island Route"—City Ticket Office. 1323 Farnain Street. Telephone 428. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. "Hear! hear!" said all. All hearts beat in expectancy. There was silence, as he stood before them. Lafayette surveyed the board, who awaited

with breatless attention for what he had to "There is one toast," he said, firmly, "that you omitted." Hearts stood still. He con-tinued: "I propose a toast to the com-mander-in-chief of the American army— George Washington." Arrive

He lifted the glass alone, and in silence. The cabal saw that their purpose had failed. The scheme of the Board of War to supersede Washington was thwarted. The son of France had been true. He seemed to have extinguished his own light; was it so? To Lafayette, standing there amid deserted hearts, that moment was one of those victories of the vanquished that rise like stars in the memory of mankind.

It is the 22d of February. May the young men of America be as true as was Lafay ette to the old principle of Auvergne san tache!

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuta, Brulees, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per how For sale refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Kuhn & Co.



No, this is not a contortionist rehearsing for his performance. It is simply an economical smoker endeavoring to relight the stump of his cigar without burning his nose.

JUST BETWEEN THEMSELVES.



your jokes, is it? Ha! ha! ha! Jones (testily)-Well, what are you laughing at? Isn't it a good one?

"AUTHOR! AUTHOR!"



Dramatist—They're yelling for me in front. I've never made a speech in my life; what shall I say? Leading Lady (had a bad time of it) -Say you've a wife and three kids dependent on you; throw yourself on

their mercy, somehow.

A COUPLE OF O BSERVATIONS.



He—I think too much wine makes one fat.

Wife-Well, it makes you lean-against lamp-posts! LOOK ALIKE ALL OVER. From All y Sloper.



"Do you know, Farmer Wurtzell, I don't think they have expressive faces." "Beg pard'n, miss, but be you a-lookin' at her face?"